



**Association  
canadienne  
de crosse**



**Canadian  
Lacrosse  
Association**

## Code of Conduct Agreement

By signing the **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISK AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY** form, I am also indicating that I have read and understand of the following code of conduct for this Championship.

### **CODE OF CONDUCT**

This code for conduct identifies the standard of behaviour, which is expected of all CLA members and participants, which for the purpose of this policy shall include all players, guardians, parents, coaches, officials, volunteers, directors, officers, committee members, convenors, team managers, trainers, administrators and employees involved in CLA activities and events.

CLA is committed to providing an environment in which all individuals are treated with respect. Members and participants of the CLA shall conduct themselves at all times in a manner consistent with the values of the CLA, which include fairness, integrity and mutual respect.

During the course of all CLA activities and events, members shall avoid behaviour, which brings the CLA or the sport of lacrosse into disrepute, including but not limited to abusive use of alcohol, use of non-medical drugs and use of alcohol by minors.

CLA members and participants shall at all times adhere to the CLA's operational policies, to rules and regulations governing CLA events and activities, and to rules and regulations governing any competitions in which the member participates on behalf of the CLA.

Members and participants of the CLA shall not engage in any activity or behaviour which interferes with a competition or with any player or team's preparation for a competition, or which endangers the safety of others.

Members of the CLA shall refrain from comments or behaviours, which are disrespectful, offensive, abusive, racist or sexist. In particular, behaviour, which constitutes harassment or abuse, will not be tolerated, and will be dealt with under the CLA's Harassment policy.

Failure to comply with this Code of conduct may result in disciplinary action in accordance with the Discipline Policy of the CLA. Such action may result in the member losing the privileges, which come with membership in the CLA, including the opportunity to participate in CLA activities and events, both present and future.